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NATIONAL HANDBOOK OF CONSERVATION PRACTICES – NEW YORK NOTICE 108

This notice transmits instructions for filing Conservation Practice Standards contained within National Notice 130. This notice also transmits the New York Residue Management – Ridge Till (NY329C) Standard

The following National Standards contained in Notice 130 may be deleted:

DIKE (356) RESIDUE MANAGEMENT – RIDGE TILL (329C)

The Dike Standard (NY356) was issued on August 5, 2003 with NHCP Notice-New York 107. It incorporates information from this new standard.

The Residue Management – Ridge Till (329C) Standard has been superceded with the New York Residue Management – Ridge Till (NY329C) Standard. It incorporates information from the new national standard, however, directs the user to refer to the Contour Stripcropping (585) standard for the row gradient limitations.

All other standards contained within Notice 130 are to be considered current standards for New York.

Text of National Notice 130 and the updated and revised practice standards can be accessed in Section IV of the NRCS-New York electronic Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), at the following address:

http://efotg.nrcs.usda.gov/treemenuFS.aspx?Fips=36067&MenuName=menuNY.zip

File: Log this notice on the New York Directives Tabulation Sheet and file it in the front of the NHCP. Make pen and Ink changes on the "Green Contents" to reflect these new standards and their issue dates. Print and file the above standards alphabetically in the appropriate location.

Remove and destroy all other standards in the NHCP that have been superceded with these updated versions. Additionally, remove and destroy national standards that are withdrawn, as stated on the second page of Notice 130.

Make pen and ink changes in the "Green Contents" to reflect these cancellations.

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